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Applicant(s):

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Assignee:

Sun Microsystems, Inc.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully petition for a two-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated September 24, 2003. This petition extends the time for response until February 24, 2004.

Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$420.00 payable to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, which is the amount for a two-month extension of time given in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2).

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